



Person Specification

This form lists the essential and desirable requirements needed in order to do the job.

Applicants will be shortlisted **solely** on the extent to which they meet these requirements.

Job title: Chair of LSE Press Editorial Board

Unit of the School: Library

Accountable to: Director of LSE Library

Criteria	E/D
An established Professor with an <i>internationally recognised research profile</i>	E
Strong knowledge of open access publishing and academic review	E
<i>Ability to Chair the Editorial Board in line with the Board's terms of reference and Academic Board procedures</i>	E
<i>Ability to foster an engaged and effective Editorial Board</i>	E
Knowledge and application of recognised standards of publication ethics and a commitment to upholding the highest standards of accountability, equity and transparency in academic publishing.	E
Ability and willingness to participate in bids for funding for LSE Press, including engaging effectively with potential donors and other external stakeholders	E
Ability and willingness to advocate for the LSE Press both at School level and externally	E
Ability to work constructively and collaboratively with academic and professional services colleagues	E
Ability to provide academic leadership and oversight for the Press's commissioning programme and academic assessment of proposals	E
Ability to actively solicit the best book and journal proposals for submission to LSE Press	E

E – Essential: requirements without which the job could not be done.

D – Desirable: requirements that would enable the candidate to perform the job well.